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SIGNING FERRY PETITION.

A petition is being circulated by W. A. Hinshaw, one of the large landowners on the Missouri side of the river, which relates to the ferry business here and will be presented to the County Court of Mississippi county at their April term.

Mr. Hinshaw wants them to grant the privilege of ferry from that side of the river—and presume he is able to see his way clear to get the same on this side. If he succeeds in getting the right to do this business, he proposes to put in all his up-to-date boats and whatever equipment is necessary to give first-class service. A gasoline launch 30 feet long and 8 feet wide, a large engine on which teams and wagons can be driven on at one end and off the other without unhitching, and a good towboat is a part of the equipment he expects to use.

Following is a copy of the petition and the names of those who had affixed their signatures to it up to the 14th of the week:

To the Honorable County Court of Mississippi County, Mo.,—Greeting: We, the undersigned citizens of Bayou Township and the surrounding county, do hereby petition your honorable body to NOT grant any more ferry license to Kirk & Co. for the following reasons, to wit:—First—The boats of the present firm are rotten and unsafe and they are making no effort to get any better.

Second—The said ferrymen do not run their ferry in compliance with the law nor in compliance with their agreement with the people.

Third—Some days they don't run their boat at all when there is no

cause for not doing so. People coming to the river on their way to town and having to return home for want of conveyance to cross the river.

For these reasons, we pray that you grant the said license to W. A. Hinshaw, who, we believe, will give the people satisfactory service, and run a ferry from Dorena Landing, Mo., to Hickman, Ky.

Signed:
J. M. Tankersley, H. C. Manuel, Jack Hinshaw, R. A. Tankersley, A. A. Dick, Joshua Hancock, J. Fitch, Chas. Ray, N. L. Parks, E. D. Bowden, John Mitchell, J. E. White, J. R. Bryant, Luther Hilliard, J. L. Golf, Willie Milner, Dave Brown, G. W. Chaney, Bert Auglestein, John McFarland, Jim Townsend, C. E. Dugan, Clarence White, James Ferguson, J. W. Byassee, J. O. King, J. J. Dick, Jas. H. Pickett, Luther Henderson, Lee King, W. L. Walker, M. L. Little, B. D. Doss, H. C. Barnes, T. A. McClain, Marion Dick, C. A. Trusty, P. L. Cunningham, E. Ray, J. J. Maddox, John Fletcher, Harry Montjoy, B. A. McDade, A. B. Williams, Sim Farmer, Jas. Oakley, W. B. Hughes, A. D. Fellers, Jim Tyner, Tom Cole.

The Court of Appeals of Kentucky this week handed down a decision wherein it refused to allow a motion for a rehearing in the Electric Light and Power Company of Fulton. This plant was ordered sold by Judge Bugg, the Court of Appeals sustained Bugg's order and now it refuses a rehearing. Therefore the famous case, which has been in litigation a number of years, will be settled after the May term of court, when it will certainly go under the hammer. —Fulton Leader.

Don't Pay Too Much for Your Drugs and Medicines

Don't pay too little. One is as foolish as the other. Pay the reasonable price, but rather economize in other ways than buy medicine that is not right in price for it is sure to be not right in quality.

At Helm & Ellison's you can depend on the goods being positively right, and our solid policy always insures the price being right too.

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Gen. Buckner, former governor of Kentucky, hopes to see a Democrat elected President to succeed Taft. For twelve years Gov. Buckner has voted the Republican ticket, and his friends will be delighted to know the old fellow has again gotten religion and has returned to the fold.

CAN YOU BEAT IT?

Still working like a slave in your corn crop? Yes.

Well, read this:

Dr. J. M. Andrew, of Wingo, received a nice and appreciated present first of the year in the shape of a check for \$800. This amount was for ginseng, which the doctor raised in his garden and shipped away recently.

Dr. Andrew planted the ginseng in a portion of his garden as an experiment and is now thoroughly satisfied that it pays to raise it. He planted the seed four years ago and is just now reaping the reward of his crop.

It takes time for ginseng to grow but after the first harvest is made it can be gathered each year. He only took a part of the crop and left the other growing.

Last year Dr. Andrew got enough seed from the crop that if he had sold them would have brought the round sum of \$3,500. He is saving the seed to replant and will continue that work each year and soon will have a large acreage of the medical root.

The seed are worth one cent each and it cost a neat sum for him to plant out the crop. He intends to keep raising the root and judging from his sale he will soon have a fortune in his little garden.

Write this gentlemen and see if these are not facts—then figure up what you have made on that 40-acre tract you have been running in corn the past four years. What would it have brought you in ginseng?

—O—
If your groceries have not proven entirely satisfactory try trading with C. H. Moore.

Power Over Illness

Don't criticize your doctor because medicine prescribed by him fails to have the desired effect. The prescription may have been good, but the ingredients dispensed poor. Give the doctor a fair show by taking his prescriptions to a druggist who makes a point of dispensing only pure drugs of right potency—drugs that have the power to overcome illness.

Tested drugs only are used here, and skilled pharmacists do the compounding. You should have the best procurable when combating sickness.

Cowgill's Drug Store

(Incorporated)

Noel Gaines, former state adjutant general, who has been acting as inspector under Gov. Willson and State Auditor James, says that of over 200 distilleries in Kentucky, not one is making its yearly tax according to law. Last year he says the distilleries paid \$119,000 into the State treasury, while in fact \$350,000 should have been paid. Mr. Gaines says he has proof upon which to base all assertions.

ALL SORTS:

Fine weather.

Clean up the yards.

Cowgill's Drug Store is the only place you can get REO.

FOR SALE: No. 1 good work horse G. T. Meacham, Hickman. 38p.

For Easter flowers, see or telephone Miss Bonnie Carpenter.

Buy your groceries at the Hickman Grocery Co., and save 5 per cent.

Dr. McKeel, well known here, is dangerously ill at his home at Mayfield.

Buy your groceries from the Hickman Grocery Co., and save 5 per cent.

Mrs. Will Bailey, of Louisville, is the guest of Mrs. R. E. Millet, this week.

Howard Schmidt, of Union City, was the guest of his brother, Carl Schmidt Sunday.

Save on your shingle bill by buying direct from our mill.—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co.

Miss Bonnie Carpenter, representing the Joy Floral Co., solicits your orders for flowers.

C. C. Smith and wife and Miss Mollie Bourne returned from the St. Louis markets, Monday.

G. L. Collins went to Martin, Tenn., Saturday, to see a cousin with whom he has recently become acquainted.

Ice cream, hot and cold drinks and everything in the soda water line as good as can be found anywhere.—Oce Harris.

J. B. Wilkins and O. R. Sames, two prominent farmers of the Crutchfield neighborhood, were here on business, Monday.

FOR SALE: S. L. Wyandottes, R. I. Reds, Buff Arpington Eggs. Write or phone for prices.—Mrs. Florence Rice, Hickman. 39p.

Hangings are to be abolished in Kentucky. They have become unpopular among the people—especially the criminals.

Miss Maude Kirk, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. R. Gibbs, returned to her home in Hickman, Monday. —East Prairie (Mo.) Eagle.

W. T. Royer and family, who left No. 8 about two years ago and went to Oklahoma, are expected back this week. Again we say, they will come back.

Judge W. A. Naylor and Sheriff G. Johnson returned Friday from Lexington, where they placed two young Fulton county culprits in the reform school.

Miss Rose Campbell returned to school at Bowling Green, Saturday, after spending several days at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W. A. Hinshaw.

We understand there is some talk of an effort being made to get a new jail building for Fulton county. This will naturally bring on more talk as the matter is agitated.

Hickman doesn't want a mill very bad; only two of her business men have shown enough interest to ask the address of the mill men who said they would like to locate here.

R. A. Tyler, proprietor of the Oakwood Stock Farm, has purchased a 30 h. p., four cylinder Cadillac runabout. Price \$1,500. This is a 2-passenger car and one of the latest things in autos.



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